

REMARKS

This §312 Amendment submits the changes identified above and is further responsive in any manner indicated below.

PENDING CLAIMS

Claims 2-16 were allowed in this application as indicated at Item 2 in the Notice of Allowance attached to the Notice of Allowance dated November 23, 2005. Claim 14 is amended herein to correct minor informalities in the claim. This correction is presented merely to adjust the clarity of Applicant's claims and is unrelated to any prior art or scope adjustment. No new matter is presented. At entry of this paper, Claims 2-16 remain allowed in this application.

RESERVATION OF RIGHTS

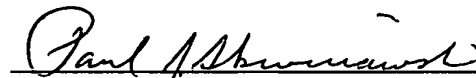
It is respectfully submitted that any and all claim amendments and/or cancellations submitted within this paper and throughout prosecution of the present application are without prejudice or disclaimer of any scope or subject matter. Further, Applicant respectfully reserves all rights to file subsequent related application(s) (including reissue applications) directed to any/all previously claimed limitations/features which have been subsequently amended or cancelled, or to any/all limitations/features not yet claimed, *i.e.*, Applicant continues (indefinitely) to maintain no intention or desire to dedicate or surrender any limitations/features of subject matter of the present application to the public.

CONCLUSION

This §312 Amendment is being submitted concurrently with the Issue Fee and does not present any changes which would require further search, consideration or fees. Entry and approval of the minor corrections made herein are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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